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Results of the past year's work with Maine people are featured in the recently issued annual report of the Agricultural Extension Service of the University of Maine.

The Bulletin, Number 432, is entitled, "Extension Reports: Busy Year," and is available free to any Maine resident. Copies may be obtained from county Extension Service offices or by writing to the Agricultural Extension Service, University of Maine, Orono.

The 44-page booklet contains a dozen photographs. The cover features a full-page Aroostook county farm scene.

"This is an anniversary year," explains the bulletin in its introduction. "Fifty years ago the first farm demonstrations in the United States were established in Texas. Forty years ago the Extension Service of the University of Maine conducted the first farm demonstrations in Maine."

"Little did the men then concerned dream that they were pioneers in a type of adult education that would profoundly influence agriculture and rural life in the United States and would be adopted eagerly by many other nations of the world."

The annual report points out that the Extension Service may be likened to a partnership in which three partners are concerned—the University of Maine, the United States Department of Agriculture, and the Maine Extension Association.

Included are sections on the Extension organization, foreign visitors, public affairs, cooperation, information service, vegetable and processing crops, crops and soil improvement, dairy improvement, farm management and marketing, farm equipment and structures, forest conservation, orchard and small fruit production, poultry improvement, home economics, clothing, foods and nutrition, home management, boys' and girls' 4-H clubs, and lists of Extension activities, bulletins and circulars issued, and personnel.

FOUR-H MEMBERS, LEADERS LEAVE FOR CHICAGO FRIDAY

Fifteen Maine 4-H club members and four Maine 4-H leaders leave by train for the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago on Friday, Nov. 27. The 15 outstanding Maine 4-H club boys and girls chosen for the trip are George Albert, of Eagle Lake; Richard Barker, of North Leeds; Mildred Black, of Litchfield; Jean Brown, of Bath; William Clair, of Bucksport; Sharrill Conroy, of Perham; Dana Fields, of Palmyra; Calvin Gammon, of West Milnet; Dorothy Hesketh, of Dover-Foxcroft; Kenlyn Hill, of East Corinth; Charles Merrill, of Steuben; Gary Shaw, of Sangerville; Ralph Wilson, of Winslow; Robert Wren, of Thorndike; and Barbara Ranger of Farmington. Maine 4-H leaders accompanying them will be Kenneth Lovejoy and Margaret Stevens, state 4-H leaders; Mrs. Leona Shibles, of Bucksport; Knox-Lincoln counties 4-H club agent and president of the New England 4-H Agents' Association; and Mrs. Marjorie Wilder, of Norridgewock, outstanding local 4-H club leader. The group returns to Maine December 8th.

BOY SCOUT REPORT

The meeting on Thursday evening November 19 was opened by Gary Haggan with the flag salute, the Scout Oath and Laws, then we sang "B-I-N-G-O Go Bingo. Merit badge applications were passed out to some of the boys. Some boys received second class requirement cards. Then we played a few games of snatch the bacon, then a game of gossip. Douglas Monteforte closed the meeting with the Scout Benediction. Donald Christie, Scribe.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hastings spent several days last week in Boston. Mrs. Lillian McKinnon of Mexico stayed with Stephen and Cindy while they were away.

The Week in Oxford County

Mr. and Mrs. Tappan D. Blake observed their 60th wedding anniversary November 24th. They are residents of South Paris. They were married in Berlin N. H. Nov. 21, 1887. Mr. Blake was at one time a conductor on the Grand Trunk from Portland to Island Pond.

Le Parc Snow Shoe Club observed their 25th anniversary with a week end of celebration in Rumford.

An Oxford woman, Mrs. Honor Gamon Keene, 25 years of age,

NORTH WOODSTOCK BOY STRUCK BY CAR SUNDAY AT SOUTH BETHEL

Brian Buck, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Buck of North Woodstock, suffered a broken right leg and head abrasions when struck by a car driven by Louis Crockett of Lewiston Sunday afternoon. The accident occurred near the home of John Nowlin at South Bethel where the boy and his mother were calling. The boy was taken to the Central Maine General Hospital by Trooper Weeks, where he is reported to be making a good recovery. Trooper Wing investigated the accident.

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT TO HOLD FIRST ANNUAL MEETING AT NORWAY, DEC. 3

The District Supervisors of the Oxford County Soil Conservation District are planning their first annual meeting, which all farmers and other interested persons are invited to attend.

The time and place of the meeting: 7:30 p. m., Thursday, Dec. 3, at the Hotel Stone dining room, Norway. Supper, \$1.50 per person.

At this meeting, the supervisors will present awards to Oxford County's outstanding conservation farmers for the year 1953.

Also on the program will be James Chadbourne, North Bridgton; Sumner Burgess, Maine Forest Service (Service Forester for Oxford County); W. B. Oliver, State Conservationist, Soil Conservation Service. Local supervisors and technicians will give a report on the District's progress, and pictures of some of the conservation work done in the county will be shown.

EXTENSION CHAIRMEN TO LEARN OF PROGRAM PLANS

Chairmen of Extension groups will meet with the Home Demonstration Agent, Mrs. Ruth DeCoteau, in the first week in December for training classes on program planning. The purpose of these classes is to help map out a tentative program with the chairman who will be carrying on planning meetings with their groups.

These classes will be held on Tuesday, December 1st, at the Brownfield Church Vestry; Wednesday, December 2nd at the Bethel Methodist Church Vestry; Thursday, December 3rd at the South Rumford Community Hall; and Friday, December 4th at the South Paris Fire Hall. The sessions will be held in the afternoon beginning at 1:30.

Chairman and assistants are expected to attend the classes. The following is a list of the chairmen and communities:

Andover, Mrs. Marjorie Swan; Bethel, Mrs. Grace Buck; Bethel (evening group), Mrs. Abbie Brown; East Bethel, Mrs. Mabel Abbott; Brownfield, Mrs. Harriet Harris; Buckfield, Mrs. Virginia Smith; Canton Point, Mrs. Betty Worden; Denmark, Mrs. Imogene Wentworth; Dixfield (day), Mrs. Virginia Villata; Dixfield (evening), Mrs. Mildred Holman; Fryeburg, Mrs. Esther Stanley; Greenwood, Mrs. Katie Tamminen; Hiram, Mrs. Viola Spring; Lovell, Mrs. Margaret Gram; Mexico, Mrs. Edna Bennett; Norway, Mrs. Mary Vall; Norway (day), Mrs. Annie Brown; Norway (evening), Mrs. Shirley Thomas; Paris Hill, Mrs. Elizabeth Corbett; South Paris (day), Mrs. Ida Newbegin; South Paris (evening), Mrs. Carolyn Hammond; West Paris, Mrs. Alice Hodson; Rumford, Mrs. Fern Elliott; Rumford Corner, Mrs. Geneva Lombard; North Rumford, Mrs. Marjorie Cummings; Upton, Mrs. Beatrice Judkins; Waterford, Mrs. Irene Bean; Welchville, Mrs. Helen Pratt.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Alfred Brown entertained at a party honoring her daughter, Julia Rose, at "Nearby" Monday afternoon. Present were Nancy Saunders, Darlene Morrill, Sharon York, Elizabeth Waldron, Bonnie Eames, Nancy Brown, Linda Brown, Vivian Brown, Martha Keniston, Carol Flint, Betsy Chapman, and the honor guest.

SECOND MEETING FOR TOWN MANAGER DISCUSSION TO BE HELD NEXT THURSDAY EVE

A second open meeting for discussion of the town manager method of municipal government will be held next Thursday evening, Dec. 3, at Odeon Hall. It is expected that two speakers will be present to present the merits of both the manager and the present selectman forms of government. The meeting will open at 8 o'clock.

As the Bethel voters will have the opportunity soon to vote on the question of adoption of the newer form, it is hoped that a large number of local citizens will attend the meeting.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Miss Grace Carter will spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Dorothy Kikpatrick.

Mrs. Jane Bates of Littleton, N. H., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Ames.

Mrs. E. O. Park has gone to Portland and will spend the winter at the Eastland Hotel.

Mrs. Leona Flint and family will be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown and family.

Guests of Mrs. Henry Austin will be Miss Bethel Packard of Augusta and Miss Ida Packard.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Emmons and family of Scotia, N. Y., are visiting relatives in town.

Miss Gwen Stearns and Karl Stearns will be Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Durell.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Davis and family of Lovell are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Baker.

Mrs. Peter Baker and Mrs. Herbert Lyon attended the Chevrolet accountants' banquet at Boston, Friday.

E. P. Lyon and Miss Frances Carter will spend the holiday with Mrs. Richard Bush and family, in Belmont, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Emery Jr. and family of Farmington will be guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Emery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sargent and daughter will move into their home on High Street during the coming week end.

The present 10 day period of warm weather with two or three days of steady rain seems to be generally appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Guernsey and son Scott, a student at Bates College, will spend the holiday with Miss Lillian Guernsey in Boston.

Mrs. Laura Day of South Paris and Mr. and Mrs. William Forsythe and daughter Diana of Naples will be Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Syle LeClair.

Mrs. Fred Edwards, Miss Beatrice Brown, Miss Julia Brown, and Cecil Conrad will have Thanksgiving dinner at the Columbia Hotel, Portland.

Mrs. H. I. Bean's Thanksgiving guests are Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jones and daughter, Esther, of Auburn, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert York and family.

Lawrence D. Bennett, son of Mrs. Clarence Bennett of Bethel was recently elected Pledge Class Treasurer in the Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternity at Boston University.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Arsenault and son and Mrs. Stephen Scarafra of Bridgeport, Conn., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gallant.

Following the business meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce next Tuesday evening, a representative of the Brown Company will show pictures of the company's forestry practices.

Guests at the home of Mrs. Violet Bennett will be Mrs. Laura C. of Farmington, Lawrence Bennett of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Baker and son Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lyon, Mrs. Frances Bennett and the Misses Alice and Isabel Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Leroy Brown celebrated Thanksgiving at a family gathering at their home Sunday. Present were Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown and family, Mrs. A. Lane Brown and Miss Marion Dearborn, Haverhill, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Blake McKay.

Present at a family gathering at the Home Ec Cottages will be Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Browne, Mr. and Mrs. Orrell Anderson and daughters, Marlene and Donna, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Myers, Mary Ann Sandra, David, Judy and Billy Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Browne and family of Vassalboro; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Browne and son Lance of Skowhegan; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Clark of Augusta, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Emmons and family of Scotia, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. James Browne and son.

County Last in Savings Bond Sales in Year

Sales of Series E and H Savings Bonds in Maine during October jumped 23 per cent above sales in the same month of 1952, according to A. J. Cole of Bangor, State Chairman of the Maine Savings Bonds Committee. Sales totaled \$1,288,840, largest for any month since last February, he said.

For the year, York County is leading all others in amount of quota achieved, Cole said, having reached over 91 per cent of quota.

Sagadahoc is in second place with 83 per cent; Knox County third place with 72 per cent; and Penobscot County is in fourth place having reached 69 per cent.

All counties will need to step up sales considerably between now and the end of the year in order to reach quotas established at the beginning of 1953, Cole advised.

Savings Bonds make ideal Christmas gifts, Chairman Cole explained, and usually this results in exceedingly good sales during the month of December.

Oxford County is last in the October list with sales amounting to only 41 per cent of its quota of \$758,000. Sales for 10 months were \$310,960.

OCTOBER TRAFFIC DEATHS

TOTAL 23—HIGHEST 10 MONTH TOTAL IN 12 YEARS

Twenty-three deaths, resulting from 22 traffic accidents during October, brought Maine's 10-month total to 145—the highest for this 10-month period since 1941.

Traffic deaths during the month included 11 pedestrians, five drivers, three passengers, and two bicyclists.

Pedestrian accidents had been running well behind last year until this past month when they accounted for just one-half of the total accidents. However, this still totals only 41 as compared with last year's 40 for the same period. Records show that never less than 10 pedestrians have been killed during November and December and that this figure has gone as high as 26.

The only way that we can beat these figures is for everyone to take added precautions themselves and urge their families and others to do likewise.

Uncontrolled speed and youthful drivers continue as the leading causes of fatal accidents. These accidents for the most part are happening in rural areas where 36 of the 194 passengers and drivers have been killed and 22 of the 41 pedestrians have died.

The number of lives lost during the remainder of the year will be determined by you and me as drivers and pedestrians. We are the ones who can make possible this saving of life. By careful, considerate driving and cautious, alert walking, we can make valuable contributions to this very worthwhile effort. It is entirely possible that by so doing, we may be saving our own lives.

Capt. John deWinter, Director Division of Traffic and Safety

"TURKEY ON THE TABLE" BULLETIN OFFERED DURING THANKSGIVING WEEK

Along with its best wishes for happy Thanksgiving, the Agricultural Extension Service of the University of Maine is offering residents free copies of Farmers' Bulletin No. 2911 "Turkey on the Table the Year Round." The bulletin tells how to choose and prepare turkeys for the festive board, or for dinner any day in the year. With a good crop of high-quality Maine turkeys on the market, homemakers will want to see their county home demonstration agents or write the Agricultural Extension Service, University of Maine, Orono for free copies of this illustrated bulletin.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Angevine and children of Rumford and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Olson and children of Brunswick will be holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Avery Angevine and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders and children, Bobby and Patty, will spend the week end with Mrs. Saunders' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Miller, at Brownville Junction.

About 60 enjoyed a party for Old Fellows, Rebekahs and their families at the Old Fellows Hall Friday evening. Supper served by the Old Fellows preceded the entertainment.

ARTHUR V. CHAPMAN

Arthur V. Chapman of Woodstock was instantly killed Monday when a rifle carried by his son, Franklin, accidentally discharged. It is reported that they were hunting with another son, Philip, and his wife near North Pond when the fatal accident occurred. Dr. D. M. Stewart, medical examiner, of South Paris, gave a verdict of accidental shooting.

Mr. Chapman was born in Bethel April 2, 1892, the son of Howard and Sarah Bryant Chapman. He was married to Mildred A. Brown of Bethel on Oct. 27, 1915. They lived on a farm at Mechanic Falls 25 years, moving to Abington, Mass., in 1942. Since 1947 they have made their home in the Gote section of Woodstock.

Besides his wife he is survived by four sons, Arthur Jr., of Roadfield, Franklin B. of Bethel, Philip of Otisfield, and Walter of Bourbon, Ind.; his mother, Mrs. Sarah Knight of Woodstock; two sisters, Mrs. Florence Bean of Woodstock and Mrs. Mildred Scarborough of Hulet, Wyo.; and 16 grandchildren.

MRS. GLADYS BAILEY

Mrs. Gladys Bailey was killed instantly late Thursday afternoon, Nov. 19, in South Paris, by an automobile while walking home from a grocery store.

A native of Winthrop, Mrs. Bailey was born August 30, 1897, the daughter of Lewis and Ida Wakefield Bonney. She went to South Paris 10 years ago from Locke Mills, and had since been employed as a tannery worker and also at Young's turkey farm in Norway.

Surviving are three sons, Ronald, South Paris, with whom she lived; Walter, South Bethel, and Howard, Auburn; four grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Chrystal Charlesworth, Worcester, Mass. Funeral services were held from Locke Mills Union Church Saturday at 2 o'clock. Rev. Charles Pendleton officiated. Interment was in Locke Mills cemetery.

CUBS TO HOLD MONTHLY PACK MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT

On Friday evening at 7:00 p. m. at the West Parish Church, Cub Scouts will hold their November Pack Meeting, the theme, "Harvest Fair." Special plans have been made to make this a little different than the usual monthly meeting.

It is hoped that Momma and Dada will "don" Blue Jeans and join their Cubs for an evening of fun and frolic.

Admission will be free, which also entitles one to a chance at the Weight Guessing Booth Hand-craft exhibits and Achievement charts will be on display. Refreshments will be served by a Mother from each Den. At 10 per chance, one may try his skill at Den Booths: Den No. 2—Dark Game; Den No. 3—Bean Guessing; Den No. 4—Milk Bottle Toss; Den No. 5—Nail Driving.

The second part of the program will consist of games, songs, and two contests: Group Singing—Den Nos. 2 and 5 and Hog Calling—Dens Nos. 3 and 6. Den No. 6 will also entertain with their Hill-Billy Band.

The Advancement Ceremony will follow and closing with the "Living Circle" and singing "America." Special Committee for this program are: Decorations—Avery Angevine. Judges and Prizes—John Howe, Clean-Up—Charles Pendleton. Cashier—Dana Douglass Jr.

COUNTY LEADERS TO MEET AT WELCHVILLE TUESDAY

The Oxford County Leaders' Association will hold its first meeting of the 1953-1954 club year at the Legion Hall in Welchville on Tuesday, December 1st, at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Marguerite Colby and Mrs. Eleanor McAllister will be hostesses to the group. The regular business meeting will be conducted by Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett of Bethel president.

Subject matter will be group discussions with the leaders divided into the groups in which they are most interested. The discussion groups will be led by: Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett on 4-H Club organization; Mrs. Irene Haggood on proper ways of filling out account forms; Mrs. Gladys Conant on ways 4-H Clubs can earn money.

The next leaders' meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, January 26th, when Kenneth Lovejoy, State 4-H Club leader, will be present to discuss account forms.

G. L. Kneeland, D. O. General Practice Eyes Examined—Charges Fitted Hours: 10 a.m.—12 m.; 2-4, 6-8 p.m. Except Thursday Afternoons and Sundays Tel. 34

Law Limits Deer Hunters' Generosity

Chief Warden Elmer W. Ingraham of the Department of Inland Fisheries and Game says that apparently Maine hunters have been smitten with a rash of generosity this season, judging from the number of telephone calls he has received lately asking for information on how to legally give away some of their venison to relatives or friends.

The Chief Warden in each case has had to quote from section 83 of the Inland Fish and Game Laws and inform the callers that under its provisions a hunter can give away only up to one-half of the deer, and that it cannot be given away to go out of state. The law also states that no person shall have in possession any part or part of a deer given to him unless each separate part is plainly labeled with the name and address of the person who registered the deer, and the name and address of the person to whom it was given. If the parts are transported by a third person, other than a common carrier, then his name and address must also be attached.

Seems like a lot of paper work to go through to see that Aunt Minnie or cousin Bill has a little venison, but it helps the Warden Force to keep track of the legal kill and catch up with some of the illegal take, according to the Warden Chief.

RUMFORD HOSPITAL AUX. GROUP ORGANIZED

A Bethel Auxiliary has been organized as an adjunct to the Rumford Community Hospital. A meeting was held Nov. 20 at the home of Mrs. Barbara Bryant. Those present were Mrs. Ruth Wilson, Mrs. Barbara D. Brown, Mrs. Elsie Waldron, Mrs. Ruth Boynton, Mrs. Connie Thurston, Mrs. Carolyn Brooks, Mrs. Polly Chapin, Mrs. Dorothy York, Mrs. Frances Saunders, Mrs. Barbara Douglass and Mrs. Barbara Bryant.

The nominating committee presented the following slate of officers: President, Mrs. Ruth Boynton; Vice-President, Mrs. Agnes Thurston; Treasurer, Mrs. Frances Saunders; Secretary, Mrs. Barbara Douglass.

The auxiliary has been formed with the idea of having friends of the hospital knit and make clothes etc. on a year-round basis for the hospital fair which is held in October. It also intends to raise money during the year which can be used at Bethel's discretion for the purchase of hospital equipment.

CUB SCOUT ROUND TABLE HELD AT BETHEL NOV. 13

The Lake District held a Cub Scout Round Table at Garland Chapel on Nov. 13. Present were leaders from Oxford, South Paris, Poland, Fryeburg, Bridgton, and Bethel.

Mrs. Marcuse and Mrs. Ames of the Gull, which sponsors the Bethel Cub Pack, served refreshments.

The meeting included Cub Scout ceremonies, a leather craft demonstration, and a talk by John Vadeboncoeur, Cub Scout executive.

GUIDE COMMITTEES NAMED FOR DEC. 31 FAIR

Aprons: Mary Moore, Louisa Lothrop.

Candy: Elizabeth Glines, Marguerite Scott, Katharine Adams.

Food: Ruth Ames, Barbara Douglass, Olive Larue.

Gifts: Margaret Trimward, Elizabeth Jordan, Doris Lord, Emily Saunders, Elizabeth Lord.

Greens: Elsie Waldron, Betty Tebbets, Leslie Marcuse.

Children's Table: Gertrude Hutchins, Helen Varner, Sibyl Nary, Phyllis Howe.

Tea: Florence Emery, Ruth Lord, Gloria Clunie.

Mrs. Alister Lowe has returned home from the hospital. The Witter twins have been named: Ronnie Francis and Bonn's Francis.

* Children's Table

CHRISTMAS FAIR

Garland Chapel Dec. 3rd

2:30 P. M.

Gifts - Aprons - Greens - Food

Candy - Tea

Santa Claus will be there at 3 P. M.

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LOOKING AHEAD
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A Good National Defense

A recent survey of college freshmen throughout the nation revealed that more than 30 per cent of them did not know that Woodrow Wilson was president during World War I, and only six per cent were able to name the 13 original colonies. Many students listed states such as Texas and Oregon as among the original 13. Thirty per cent of the students did not know who was President during the Civil War. Some thought it was George Washington.

This is just an indication of the lack of knowledge about America, not only among college freshmen but among adult population. It was recently demonstrated at a meeting attended by 100 people from 26 states that only a small percentage of American adults are aware of the fact that a communal economic system was established in the early years at both Plymouth Colony and Jamestown, with all production going into a common storehouse, and equal shares being distributed out of the storehouse to each family. Yet this fact is an important part of American history. The communal system failed, and out of the failure grew our present private ownership, free enterprise system. Free Study History.

Some time ago the New York Times surveyed American high schools and found that only 31 per cent of our colleges and universities require students to study American history. And of the total enrollment in colleges and universities at the time the survey was made, only 12 per cent of the students were enrolled in American history courses. In the adult field, there is much evidence throughout the nation indicating that a great many of our grown-ups either didn't study American history or have forgotten vitally important facts about our country's origin and its progress.

In both the school field and among our adult population improvement is being made. More and more educators are recognizing the need for teaching American history to all high school and college students and are making it a required subject. Industries, civic clubs, fraternal organizations, and many other groups are now working to bring the facts of American history to public attention. Facts Needed.

Citizens need to know the facts in the story of America in order to effectively combat creeping Socialism which has worked its way to power in so many nations of the world. We cannot answer charges made against our American way of life unless we know the stories of Plymouth Colony and Jamestown, unless we know how our economic system came into being and can trace its effectiveness against the obstacles it met during its growth.

In a world that has seen Socialism in some degree spread throughout nearly all the major nations, America cannot permit her young people to take their blessings for granted and become indifferent to how these blessings have been made possible. The difference or equality that stems from ignorance causes young people to have little if any interest in understanding our basic American principles which are under attack. Something To Do.

A people ignorant of freedom's origins won't realize fully the importance of keeping intact the great fundamental principles of the Declaration of Independence. The U. S. Constitution, our Republican form of government, our private enterprise system. Probably only a few adults today recall the details of the historic Constitutional Convention, or the writing of the Declaration, and these few realize why certain basic philosophy appears in both documents, and why certain functions and prohibitions were set forth in the Constitution.

Many people have said to me from time to time "I want to do something to preserve the fundamental principles of our government." Over the years this volume has given many answers to that question. Today it will give one of

DALE CARNEGIE

AUTHOR OF "HOW TO STOP WORRYING AND START LIVING"

TEN years ago John Noel, 608 Eau Claire Blvd., Wausau, Wisconsin, changed from one product to another, and with the change came worries and more worries. He had built a new house, bought furniture, a new car, and didn't know anything good about the product which he was then selling. He couldn't make a large enough loan to complete his house, and he had to run his face, as he says, for the furnace, wiring, painting and other accessories. Besides this, he had to buy a truck on time payments. Just then his second baby arrived.

Weeks went by without a sale. He worked day and night learning to sell his new product, often coming home after eleven o'clock at night. Always his wife would ask whether he had made a sale. Finally she didn't have to ask, all she had to do was to look at him.

The worrying he was doing each day was forestalling his sales. He was so worried that it was almost impossible to get a good night's rest.

One day he talked to a friend who had had a lot of experience in his business. Together they decided that he should go to a priest, who said that the flowers, trees, birds, animals, and all of nature's very own, have storm clouds—and yet they survive. All in all, he says he had a good confession, and learned to have more faith in God, and to think constructively. Since that time he finds time to spend three days a year with God at a retreat, which gives him great peace of mind and the ability to think and plan constructively.



CARNEGIE

Economic Highlights

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual — National and International Problems Inseparable From Local Welfare

Rarely, if ever, has a political party held so slim a margin of Congressional control as the Republicans do today. In the Senate, as a matter of fact, they are the minority party—the roster runs 48 Democrats, 47 Republicans and 1 Independent. The GOP is able to organize that body—an enormously important matter, as the committee chairman appointments are at stake—only because the Independent, Senator Morse, has said he will vote with the Republicans in organizational matters, and in case of a tie Vice-President Nixon will be the decisive factor.

In the House, the situation is little better. At this writing, the Republicans have a majority of only two—so small an edge that it could disappear overnight. To say that the GOP leaders have been gravely disturbed by the recent off-year elections even though in most cases the issues were far from clear-cut so far as national policy is concerned, is to say the obvious. The Wisconsin Congressional election was a bitter blow—there a Democrat took over in what, not long ago, had seemed a safely Republican district, and apparently the farm situation was the big reason for the switch. The Democratic gubernatorial victory in New Jersey also hurt—Republicans had occupied the governor's mansion for 10 years. And more salt was rubbed in the wound when a Democrat won in that state's 6th District for the first time since it was organized in 1902. The Virginia gubernatorial contest also went to a Democrat. In this last battle, however, the Republicans found a ray of light in the extreme closeness of the contest, inasmuch as the Democratic victor was backed by the potent Byrd organization. The New York City mayoral election indicated little—traditionally Tam-

many Democrats won in a walk there, and it simply happened again.

Republican strategists are now trying to find out what the trouble is and seeking ways and means to correct it. Various theories are going the rounds. One is that Secretary Benson, sound as his ideas may be, has alienated many farmers. Another is that, in the heat of the last campaign, too much was promised. Another is that some of the electorate is too impatient and expects all kinds of changes and reforms too fast. And, of course, it is fairly common place for the "outs" to do better than the "ins" in off-year elections when the President is not on the ballot.

There is still another thought—and it is held by many commentators who are friendly to Mr. Eisenhower. It is that he, like any President, may become the prisoner of the White House, misled and misadvised by associates who either want to please him or are the victims of wishful thinking. That has happened to Presidents before. It is an extraordinarily difficult thing for any President to keep touch with the thinking and the feeling of the people. Holmes Alexander, a strong Eisenhower admirer, recently wrote, "It is possible and I'm not sure it isn't plainly evident—that the President may not know the nation over which he presides today."

In any event, more and more of the observers seem to think that it will become necessary for the President to take a much greater interest and part in the political wars, on the Congressional and gubernatorial levels. For it is clear that his personal standing with the electorate goes far beyond that of most other members of his party.

The only trouble with all these new-fangled devices so simple that a child can operate them is that the children usually do.—Times, Albany, Ia.



SCANNING THE NEWS

WASHINGTON circles are still buzzing about the recent election which has been termed a jolt to the Republican party, especially by their prospects for next year. The Democrats are calling the election a clean-cut victory and an indication that the public is unhappy with the Eisenhower administration.

President Eisenhower said he was not entirely pleased with the results, but added: "Two lost skirmishes before." He said he is confident that in the long run the American people will approve what he described as the dynamic program his administration is trying to carry out.

Chairman Leonard W. Hall of the Republican National Committee frankly acknowledged the Democratic victory in a number of states and added: "There is no question about it. As of today we (Republican party) are in trouble politically."

Adlai E. Stevenson, the 1952 Democratic presidential nominee, said of the election: "It looks as though the fruit of Republican promises and performance is dissatisfaction, disillusion and defeat." The biggest surprise of the election, of course, was the Democratic victory in New Jersey. The Democrats won the governorship for the first time in 16 years and sent a Democrat in Congress from a formerly heavy Republican district.

The election is also having its results in another part of the political field. A slight chill raced up the spine of a number of Democratic governors who supported President Eisenhower in his election. There is a feeling that many of these governors will weaken their allegiance as an outcome of the contest. It is predicted that these governors must get back into the good graces of the Democratic party or they are doomed.

The political picture is further complicated for the Republicans in the midwestern agricultural states. It can be said in all honesty that the midwestern farmers are more than unhappy with the administration's agricultural program. They are very near open revolt, politically speaking.

Republican, Democratic, and neutral observers are agreed that should an election be held today the Republican party would suffer defeat in the farm states, perhaps one of the worse in the party's history.

Facing an economic future anything but bright, the farmers want a sound farm program. The administration has promised them one, to be presented to Congress in January. It had better be good, observers are saying, or the GOP will be in the worse shape it has been in many years—even if it does have a Republican president in the White House.

erican citizenship essential studies for every child, every student. This is the surest way we can build an impenetrable national defense.

THANKFULNESS

Always it seems to me odd, (Also it seems to me sad)— People so seldom say "God!" Publicly save when they're mad. Or, in a panic, afraid, Muttering under their breath, They will call God to their aid, Facing a danger, or death. Why not say "God" when you're glad? Say His name joyously, loud, Thank Him for happiness had, Even if you're in a crowd. —Carl C. Helm

LOW DOWN FROM HICKORY GROVE

What is "swoosh"—that is the item for clarification as we open the seminar. First of, I put in my ear and comment that this is the era of same-swoosh is speed, accented—and is the cause of our high blood pressure, our lack of courtesy, our lack of direction, our awkwardness, our yokelishness.

We put a heavy foot on the gas—we grab a sandwich, get a twirl in the stomach—gulp an asperin—take a short and fast peek at the headlines—take off. That is swoosh. Following such method of living and you develop into a simple sucker sure as the sun comes up in your east. Also and likewise the off-shoots of the speed clan, who have been turned out to the altar, grow up without a direction compass.

Polks who figure they may miss a drink if they don't hurry are duck soup for the crafty gents who organize such foolshams as a phony farmers' march on Washington to protest something. We are over-run, infested with glib artists who eat plentiful at our expense and will continue to do so unless we haul out our arithmetic and check for sure if 2 and 2 is or is not 4. A return of the time when there are 100 people and only 99 jobs might be the real McCoy to clear up our confused notions.

Yours with the low down, JO SERRA



"It says here that a judge in New Jersey has ruled that a man can sue you for libel if you call him a Communist." Mrs. Rimer remarked, over the top of her paper.

"I read that—same as calling him a traitor," George agreed. "He's right, too! General Mark Clark said the other day that Communists are liars, cheats, and murderers, wherever you meet them."

"Then you'd better stop saying the president of that union your company deals with is a Commie," Mrs. M. warned.

"I never said it to anyone but you, and I don't suppose you'll turn informer against me," George replied, with a grin.

"Why do you even tell me he's a Communist?" the Little Woman persisted.

"Because he follows the Communist party line—praises Russia—knocks conditions here, curses 'the bosses,' tries to stir up trouble for trouble's sake."

"Why don't you kick him out, then?" the Mrs. demanded.

"Can't!" George replied. "He's president of the union the men at the plant chose as bargaining agent, and we have to deal with him. That's the law! Businessmen are trying to get it amended."

"You shouldn't be required to deal with him," said Mrs. R.

"Tell that to Congress!" George urged. "That's what we're doing, and we need all the support we can get!"

WORTH REPEATING

"My friends, it is time to tell the people the truth, that this you can expect from your government, this you shouldn't expect from them. We are spending too much money for the kind of government we are able to give to our people." —Governor Johnston Murray, Oklahoma.

"Uncle is buying—and holding—more cheese than anybody. His busy agents are even buying more cheese now than butter. And, being inventive as well as acquisitive, Uncle is about to show the cheesemasters how they can make cheese twice as fast, so there will be more cheese to buy." —Wall Street Journal.

"In this century the Federal Government has moved into many fields simply because local governments lacked vitality. There were many jobs which urgently needed doing, and the Federal Government took them over. But I think we have to recognize that we have thereby gotten into a vicious circle—local governments lose even more vitality as they lose their functions and responsibilities to the Federal Government." —Sen Hubert Humphrey (Minn.)

OUR FIRST THANKSGIVING



Q—How many of Uncle Sam's nieces and nephews are on his payroll? A—According to the Joint Committee on Reduction of Non-Essential Federal Expenditures, 2,430,412 Americans were employed by the federal government as of Aug. 31, 1953. The Committee said this compared with 2,590,091 as of Aug. 31, 1952. The figures do not include many thousands of foreigners employed abroad.

Q—Which President held the first regular press conferences? A—President Wilson, according to James E. Pollard's "The Presidents and the Press." Wilson arranged to see reporters in the White House twice a week because he believed in what he called "pitiless publicity" for public business. President Eisenhower's Oct. 21 press conference was his 17th since assuming office.

Q—Can the President and Vice President be inhabitants of the same state? A—Yes, though there is a practical restriction on the possibility. Amendment XII of the Constitution states: "The electors shall meet . . . and vote (for) President and Vice President, one of whom at least shall not be an inhabitant of the same state with themselves." No party has ever nominated candidates for both offices who lived in the same state. In the event of a close contest, one of the party's candidates could fail of election because he would be denied the electoral vote of his own state.

Q—Just how often do Members of Congress miss roll-call votes or fail to announce their positions on issues? A—Only about one time in ten, according to a Congressional Quarterly survey of the 100 roll-call votes of the first session. The "average" Member either voted or announced his position 91.3 per cent of the time. The "average" Member actually voted—either "yea" or "nay"—on 87.4 per cent of all roll calls.

Q—Which one of the 10 Cabinet Departments of the federal government has the most employees? Which has the fewest? A—The Department of Defense employed 1,237,657 civilians, more than any other executive Department, at the end of fiscal year 1953, last June 30. Of the total, the Army employed 504,400, the Navy 448,874, the Air Force 302,307, and the office of the Secretary 1,806. Only 5,027 persons were employed by the Department of Labor at that time, the fewest in any Department. Next lowest was the Department of Justice with 30,625.

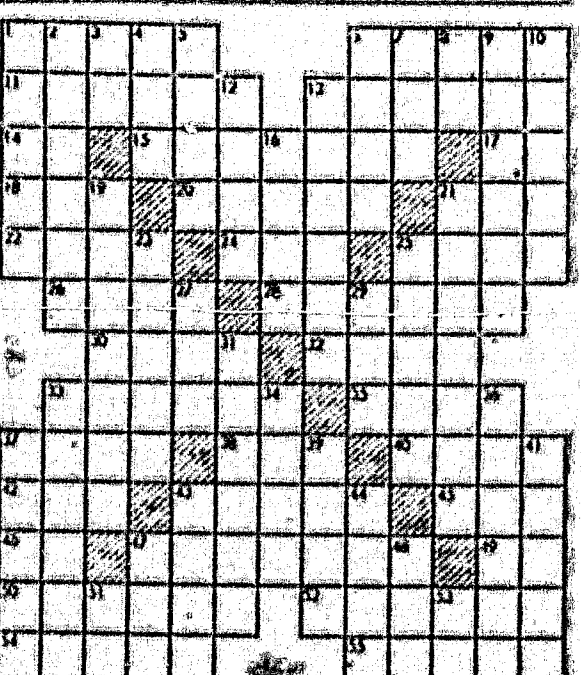
Q—What are the plans of the committee studying foundations? A—The Select Committee to Investigate Tax-Exempt Foundations, created by the House Aug. 1, is organizing a staff prior to beginning hearings "sometime in the fall" according to its Chairman, Rep. D. Carroll Reece (R., Tenn.). The five-member group was authorized to spend \$50,000 to probe educational, philanthropic, and other "comparable" organizations exempt from the federal income tax.

Q—How many commissions, boards and other advisory groups have been established by the President and the Congress since the Republicans took over in January? A—Twenty-six, as of Oct. 23, President Eisenhower established 14 of them, while Congress, by public law, created the other 12. Another six study and advisory groups have been set up by cabinet members. (Copyright, 1953, Congressional Quarterly)

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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BRYANT POND

— Mrs. Edith C. A. O. E. S. News
The stated meeting Chapter, OES, was evening. Mrs. Bert charge of the entire read several original including one recent Pine Cone magazine were served by Mrs. Mrs. Edith Hathaway Mills and Mrs. Bark. The Star Birth Wednesday evening Mrs. Frances Farnum present. Color shown by Mrs. R. Mrs. Martha Warner tary package. Refr served by the host Mrs. Ring, Mrs. Ann Eva Titus, Mrs. E. man and Mrs. Little.

Mrs. Eleanor Farn Thanksgiving Day City. From there she the "Queen Elizabeth France, on her way husband, Pvt. Fred who is stationed at Mrs. Carl C. Dudley her home. Mrs. Ruth is caring for her in Myrtle Hayes is with Mr. and Mrs. Robert children, Bobby and Wethersfield, Conn., end with her parents Claude S. Cushman.

Porter Swan was CMG Hospital Wednesday and submitted Thursday. Mrs. Swan Lewiston to be near Corp. Cecil Farnum.

Sunday guests of Robert C. Crockett and husband, Mr. Manley, Pownall. A material for the Church School were to the State School sent by the Union School and friends.

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SOUTH ALBANY

— Mrs. Roy Ward

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BRYANT POND

Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Corres.
O. E. S. News

The stated meeting of Jefferson Chapter, O.E.S., was held Friday evening. Mrs. Bertha Davis had charge of the entertainment and read several original poems, including one recently published in Pine Cone magazine. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Sylvia Judkins, Mrs. Edith Hathaway, Mrs. Eva Mills and Mrs. Barbara Hathaway.

The Star Birthday Club met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Frances Farnum with 18 members present. Colored slides were shown by Mrs. Ruby Ring and Mrs. Martha Warner won the mystery package. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Ring, Mrs. Annie Bryant, Mrs. Eva Titus, Mrs. Elizabeth Whitman and Mrs. Lettie Ford.

Mrs. Eleanor Farnum is leaving Thanksgiving Day for New York City. From there she will sail on the "Queen Elizabeth" for Paris, France, on her way to join her husband, Pvt. Frederick Farnum, who is stationed at Larochelle.

Mrs. Carl C. Dudley is quite ill at her home. Mrs. Ruth Haskell R. N., is caring for her nights, and Mrs. Myrtle Hayes is with her days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scherf and children, Bobby and Wendy, of Wethersfield, Conn., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude S. Cushman.

Porter Swan was taken to the CMG Hospital Wednesday of last week and submitted to surgery on Thursday. Mrs. Swan is staying at Lewiston to be near him.

Corp. Cecil Farnum, Ft. Devens, Mass., is spending a 15-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Farnum.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Crockett were his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Manley, Pownal. A large carton of material for the newly opened Church School were taken by them to the State School there. This was sent by the Universalist Church School and friends.

Deer tagged at A. A. Brown's station during the past two weeks by Woodstock hunters, include Arthur Farrington, Raymond Bryant, Evelyn Whitney, Alton Hathaway, Ida Brimons, Victor Flagg, Francis Mills, Lester Hathaway, Evelyn Bean and Sanford Ricker.

Prayer services at the Universalist Church will be held at 9:30 a. m. every Sunday, beginning next Sunday, November 29, with Gordon G. Newell, pastor. The Church School will open at 10:45 a. m.

A sale will be held by the Universalist Circle and Fellowship Group on Friday afternoon and evening, December 4. A "Country Style" supper will be served at 6:30 followed by an entertainment and square dance in the evening.

SOUTH ALBANY

Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Dunham from Bryant Pond were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell and daughters.

Raynor Brown's truck has been hauling pulpwood from Leon Kimball's.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell called on her cousin Roy Kimball at Waterford on Nov. 15.

Olive Spinney and Hazel Wardwell attend a Council meeting at North Waterford on the 18th.

George Wentworth has moved some cattle up to his father's (the former Arthur Crosse farm).

MAYOR MCGUP By John Jarvis



WOODSTOCK HIGH

On Monday, Nov. 16, the Juniors and Seniors had the pleasure of hearing Dr. Albert Ring, a former alumnus, address them on "Alcoholism and Drug Addiction." It was a very interesting talk and we sincerely thank Dr. Ring for his time.

We are announcing the honor roll for the first nine weeks. High Honors: Dan Cole. Honors: Maynard Cushman, Adelaide Emery, Alicia Emery, Sandra Martin, Janice Goss, Arthur Coffin, Denise Noyes, Charlotte Shultz.

Those having perfect attendance for the first nine weeks were: Maynard Cushman, Adelaide Emery, Alicia Emery, Luna Farrington, Phillip Farrington, Louise LaValley, Leona LaValley, Colby Martin, Robert Davis, Howard Emery, Arthur Coffin, Pearl Farrington, Eva Harlow, Kent Martin, Richard McInnis, Beverly Morgan.

Friday the 13th proved unlucky to the Tigers and Tigerettes, as both lost the first game of the season. The games were hard fought, but the Alumni proved the stronger.

On Tuesday, the high school enjoyed a movie on Saving Bonds. As there was very little advertising in this movie, we all liked it.

Also on Tuesday, Nov. 17, both teams proved they had it by abetting Andover. These scores were: Tigers 71, Andover 11; and Tigerettes 67, Andover 13.

The cheering squad for the high school has been cut down to four. These four are: Louise LaValley, head cheerleader; Leona LaValley,

Pearl Farrington, and Charlotte Shultz.

The Senior class play, a 3-act comedy, "Gone with the Girls," will be presented on December 10th, at the gymnasium, and will start at 8 o'clock. The cast of characters will be as follows:

Gramps, Dan Cole; Marge, the eldest of the Capp sisters, Joanne Whitman; Doris, the next in line, Mary Stuart Farnum.

Eva, the "baby" of the family, Patty Coffin; Sonny, the one and only son, Tommy Henderson.

Alecia, the ambitious mother, Janice Goss; Ora, the maid, Esther Cary; Gregory Thatcher Van Stael, a socialite, Edmund Mason.

Lenny Fair, a nurse, Jackie Rich; Binny Ware, an actress out of work, Sandra Martin; Captain O'Malley of the police, Fred Coffin.

MAINE EXTENSION MEMBERS

NOW NUMBER 14,251 FOR '54

Total Maine Extension Association membership for 1954 at the close of recent annual meetings reached 14,251. The total is expected to go well over the 20,000 mark by the end of the membership year. The total is ahead of last year at the same time. Oxford County leads the state with 1,445 members, followed by Somerset and Hancock Counties. Somerset County led in the percentage of memberships renewed. Extension Association memberships remains open to everyone interested. Simply contact your county Extension Service office.

The stage manager of this play is Fred Coffin. The director is Mrs. Avis Herriek, the English teacher. The prompters are Jackie Rich and Andrea Poland. The property committee is the senior class, and the chairman is Dan Cole. We will have a basketball game here with Mechanic Falls on Dec. 1.

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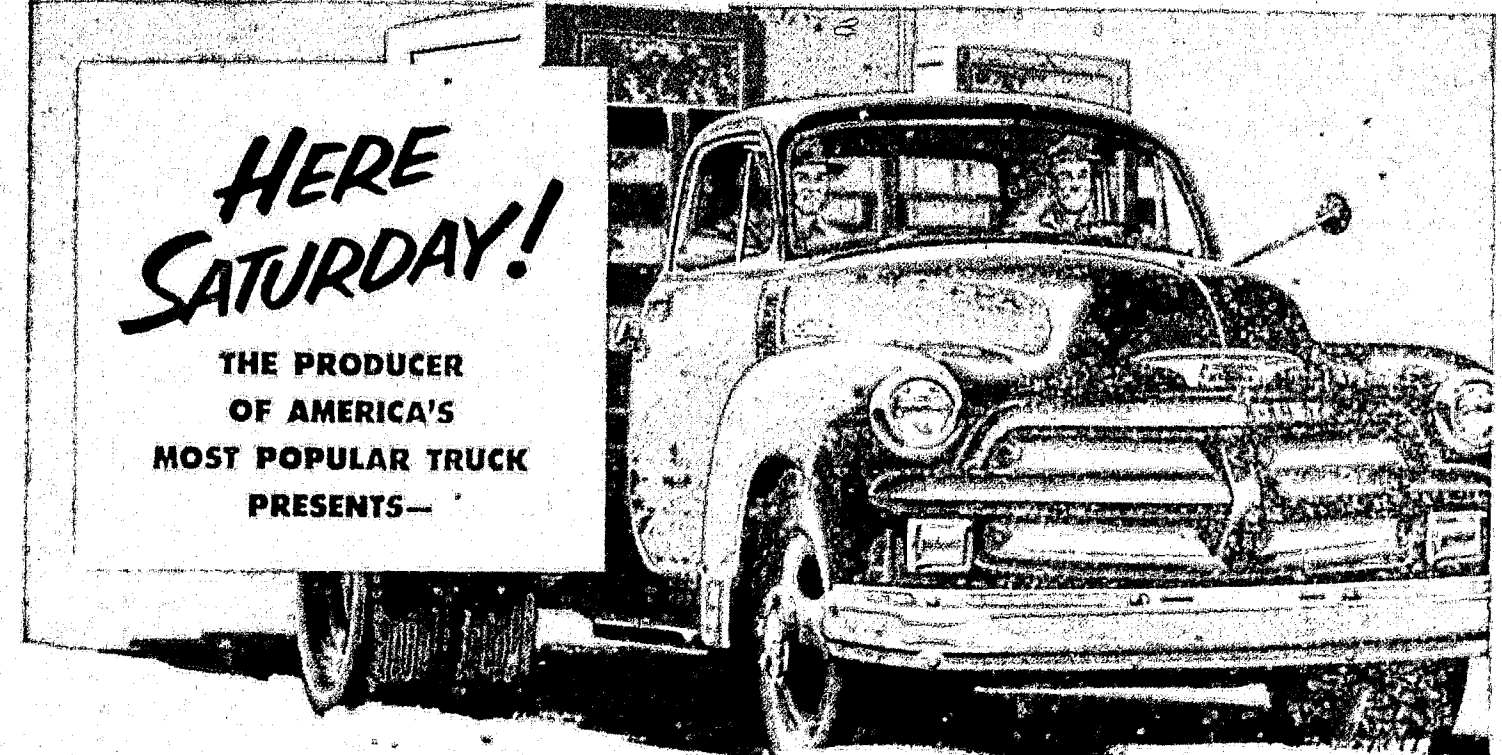
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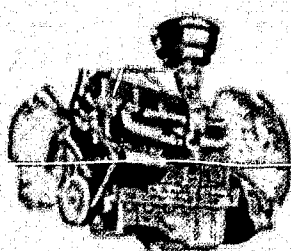
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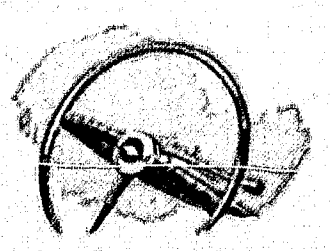
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GRANTLAND RICE, dean of American sports columnists, is chairman of the National Sports Drive for MARCH OF DIMES, January 2-31. He urges all sports promoters, athletic directors and everyone connected with sports to help beat infantile paralysis by contacting their local March of Dimes campaign director and join in the fight against this dread disease.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said November. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the third Tuesday of December A. D. 1953, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Abbie H. C. Fink, late of Bethel, deceased; Second Trust Account for the benefit of Lydia Towley (deceased) at said, and Petition for order to distribute balance remaining in their hands, presented by First Portland National Bank, Trustee.

Charles Herbert Epper, late of Bethel, deceased, Will and Petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Edith Hayes Epper as executrix of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Edith Hayes Epper, the executrix therein named.

George W. Knight, some time known as George K. Knight, late of Bethel, deceased. Petition for the appointment of Perley W. Itin, and as executor of the estate of said deceased with bond presented by Perley W. Itin, a nephew.

William M. Crosby, late of Bethel, deceased. Petition for license to sell real estate situated in Bethel presented by Edward H. Mason, administrator.

Witness, Sheldon C. Noyes Judge of said Court at Paris this third Tuesday of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three.

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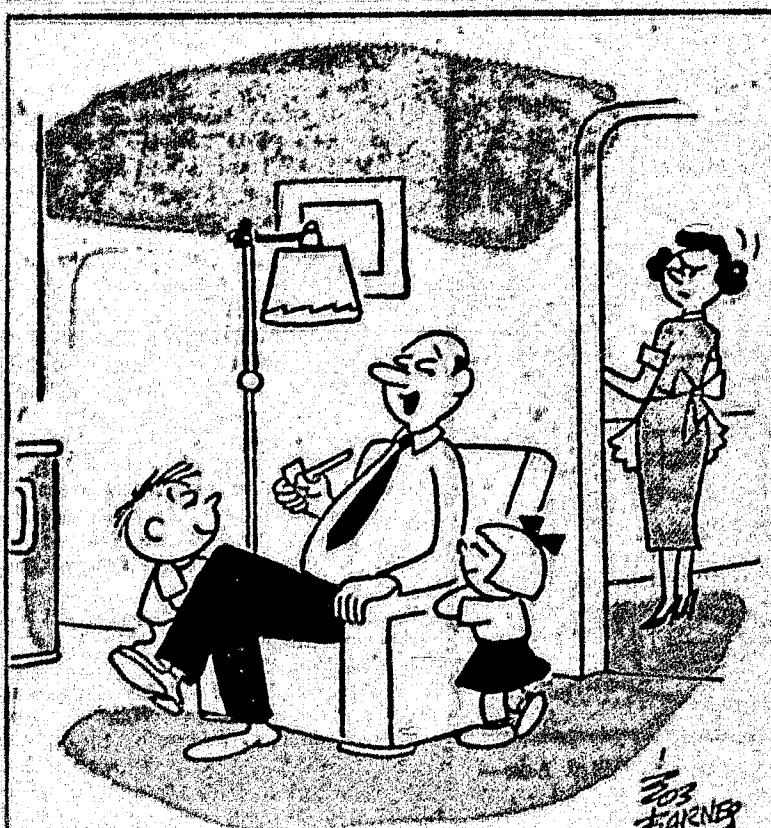
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ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER—AND VICINITY—

—Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Corres.—

Round Mountain Grange No. 162 met at their hall Monday evening, November 16, and the first and second degrees were conferred upon Mary Mills and Leah Deegan. Mrs. Giguere from Thorn's Corner Grange acted as Master for the second degree. The Literary Program consisted of poems, articles, and songs relative to Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Merrill and daughter, Darlene, from Bethel were Tuesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Inman and family.

John Spinney was hunting in East Raymond Saturday.

Phil Dyer called at Alfred Leigh's Saturday.

Ben Dyer of Otisfield called at L. J. Andrews' and at Ralph Dyer's one day last week.

Friday evening the young people gave a birthday party at the Town House in honor of Ronald and Roberta Snyder's eighteenth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Smith of Poland were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Spinney.

Recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. J. Andrews were: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lapham and son, Byron, from

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—Mrs. Mary Mills, Corres.—

Thanksgiving Guests
Mrs. Nellie Pratt of Norway is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Swan, and will remain for Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swan Jr. will also be guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Swan will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Earl Noyes and family of Bryant Pond, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Swan and family, and Miss Lella Swan.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ring and Mrs. Mabel Farrington will dine with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lapham at Rumford.

Mrs. Eva Swan, Hugh and Miss Beth Swan, and Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Jordan and family, will join with others in the family with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Ring and family at East Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coolidge will have as guests, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Coolidge and son of Bethel, and Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Packard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Blanchard will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Martin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mellen Kimball and family will dine with Mr. and Mrs. LaForest Kimball.

The community was saddened by the sudden and tragic death of Mrs. Gladys Bailey at South Paris last Thursday.

Elaine Roberts, who returned to the Veterans Hospital last Sunday, arrived home the past week for a ten day visit.

Mrs. Frank Ring has vacated the rent on Main Street where she and Mr. Ring have resided for many years.

Mrs. Little Ford, Mrs. Cora Reed and Mrs. Anna Glover of West Sumner were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford several days last week.

Lucky deer hunters the past week have been Robert Chapman, Herbert Dunham, Charles Andrews, Edward Chase and William Seames.

The eighth grade sponsored a square dance at the town hall last Friday evening. This was the second one, and they plan to have one each month. Raymond Hillman of Rumford is caller.

Mrs. LaValley and daughters who have lived here for the past two years moved last week to Bryant Pond.

Say you saw it in The CITIZEN.

Drivers must watch out for children every day. But in the month of September the danger of child accidents increases during certain hours because they are returning to school. Extra care is called for at these times. Accidental injury or death to a child is especially tragic. Our State Police urge us to be constantly on the alert for these little ones in traffic.

"The head of one of our leading"

corporations recently advised businessmen in general to make the most of a ready market for goods. He pointed out that more Americans are employed than ever before, at the highest wages in history. He said further: The kind of America we live in tomorrow depends primarily on the kind of job we do today. I think the future of American business can be anything we want to make. (Maine) Times.

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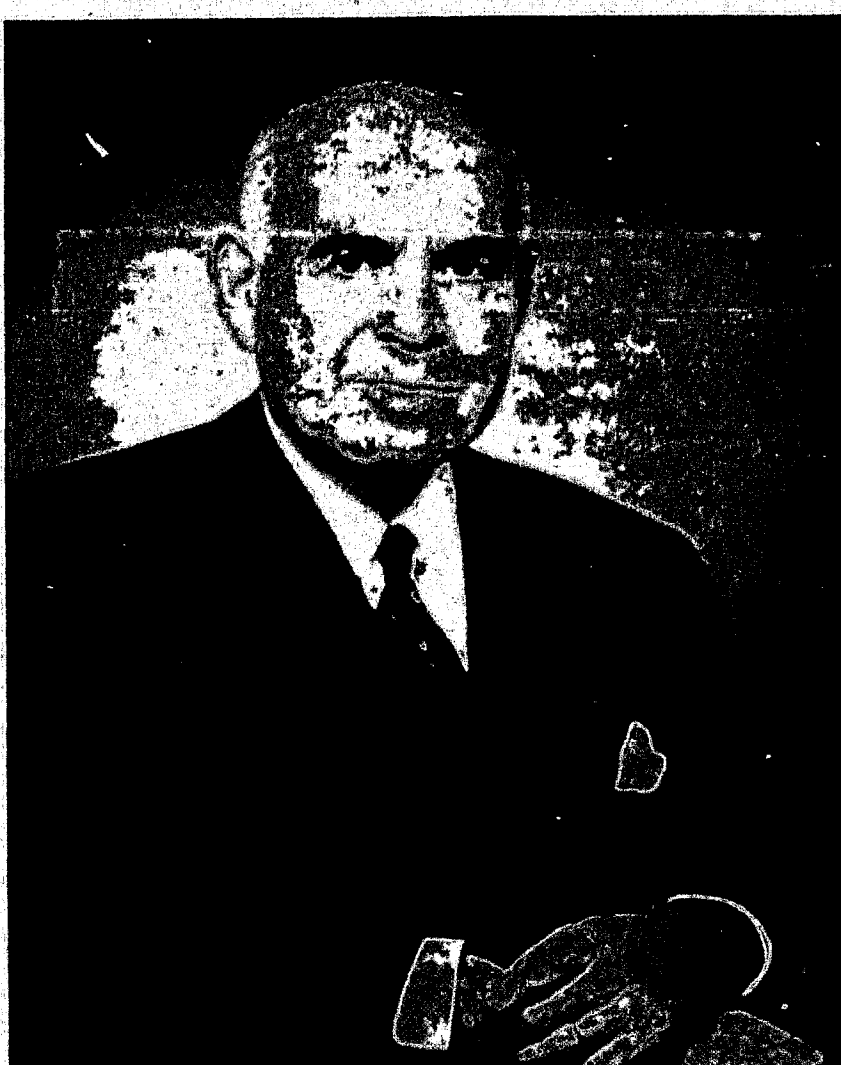
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HAVE you tried a really ordinary taste treat? Here are suggestions which you use and quick to fix. Have some fish in a french dress with lemon juice. Other salad ingredients hard-cooked eggs do for this type of salad. Apple sauce is also which can be improved with cinnamon French toast, waffles. Next time you fry toes in the skillet, try

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Mushroom Soup
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1 1/2 cups milk
2 cans (2 1/2 cups) mushroom soup
1 cup yellow corn
2 tablespoons butter
4 eggs, separated
Combine milk and cornmeal; cook in the consistency of butter. Beat egg yolks; combine mixture, whites stiff but not into cornmeal mixture. Greased 2-quart moderate (350°) hour or until done with butter.

bacon while cooking sprinkle the potatoes parsley before serving. Can of peach halves. Serve them as dessert of ice cream rolled coconut and top with raspberries. Like a good sandwich? Toast with with broiled bacon, sliced tomato. Serve sauce.

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RECIPE OF THE WEEK

Mushroom Spoon Bread

(Serves 6-8)

1 1/2 cups milk
2 cans (2 1/2 cups) cream of mushroom soup
1 cup yellow cornmeal
2 tablespoons butter
4 eggs, separated

Combine milk and soup. Add cornmeal; cook slowly until the consistency of mush; add butter. Beat egg yolks; add to cornmeal mixture. Beat egg whites stiff but not dry; fold into cornmeal mixture. Bake in a greased 2-quart casserole in a moderate (350°) oven about 1 hour or until done. Serve hot with butter.

bacon while cooking and then sprinkle the potatoes with chopped parsley before serving.

Can of peach halves on the shelf? Serve them as dessert with a scoop of ice cream rolled in shredded coconut and top with thawed frozen raspberries.

Like a good sandwich, just a bit different? Toast white bread, top with broiled bacon, lettuce and sliced tomato. Serve with cheese sauce.

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EAST BETHEL

— Mrs. David S. Foster, Corres. —

Mr and Mrs Roy Akers and children, Beverly, Linda, and Julia, of Andover, were week end guests of Mr and Mrs Sherman Newton.

Mr and Mrs Bert Rich, J C Williams, and A B Nash, all of Canton and Mr and Mrs Carl Hutchinson of Dixfield were week end guests of Mrs Ida Blake.

The Lucky Clover 4-H Club held a judging meeting on November 22 at the home of Miss Dorothy Bartlett. Miss Dorothy Bartlett was the winner in the Seniors and Miss Jeanne Newton was the winner in the Juniors on Good Break-fasts.

Miss Dorothy Foster was a weekend guest of her aunt, Mrs Warren Smith, in South Rumford.

Maynard Moulton of Auburn and Albert Brady of Lewiston were guests of Mr and Mrs Robert Hastings this week end.

Melvin Olson is now working at the Oxford Paper Company in Rumford.

Mr and Mrs George Gamble of Lewiston, Miss Mary Alice Hastings and Warren Hastings of the University of Maine are expected guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Robert Hastings this Thanksgiving.

The Women's Group held election of officers at their last meeting on November 18 at the home of Mrs Lillian Bartlett. The following slate of officers were elected:

Chairman, Mabel Abbott; Secretary, June Swan; Treasurer, Myra Foster; Clothing, Margaret Ring; Home Management, Marguerite Bartlett; Foods, Florence Hastings. The next meeting will be the planning meeting and also a Christmas Party on December 21. Gifts will be exchanged.

David Littlefield and Charles Bourne of Ogunquit were week end guests of Mr and Mrs Urban Bartlett.

Caster and Robert Jamison of Peru visited Richard Jamison at the home of Mr and Mrs Al Curtis this week end.

Alder River Grange held a regular meeting on Nov. 20 with Worthy Master Louise Coolidge in the chair. There were 12 members and two visitors present. The following committees were appointed:

Home and Community Welfare, Mrs Floribel Haines, chairman; Mrs Huldah Stevens, and Mrs Myra Foster, Youth Committee, Arlene Coolidge and Susie Ingalls, Relief, Mrs Huldah Stevens, Mrs Bernice Noyes and Miss Mabel Abbott. Finance, Richard Stevens, Cleve Bartlett, and Robert Coolidge. The mystery package donated by Mrs Irene Hutchinson was won by Robert Coolidge.

Lucky hunters this week were Mrs Claire Plawlock, Carroll Ver-zill, Ben Tyler, Sherman Newton, Lawrence Kendall.

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SONGO POND

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

Sgt Francis Osgood Jr. has received his discharge from the army and with his wife the former Lillian Hart, and baby daughter, have returned to the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs Arthur Hart.

Mr and Mrs Don Cross and son have returned home.

Donald Childs was in Plymouth, Mass., over the week end to bring his wife home.

Mr and Mrs Halston Bennett and children spent the week end with Mrs Maud Kimball. Arthur Kimball was a Sunday visitor.

Little Betty Bean of East Stoneham spent Friday night with her grandmother, Mrs Maud Kimball.

Norman Lapham and friends of Levittown, Pa., arrived here Monday to spend this week with relatives.

Raymond Arsenault visited his relatives in Gorham, N. H., Monday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Kimball were in Portland Monday on business.

Ronald Logan is ill with a sore throat and unable to attend school this week.

Middle Intervale Road —

Mary C. Stanley, Corres.

Mrs L E Davis recently spent a few days with her daughter and family, Mr and Mrs Charles Hamilton, at Falmouth Forester.

Mrs M E Soule and Mary Stanley were calling in Norway on Monday.

Thanksgiving guests at Ronald Stevens' home will be the following: Mr and Mrs Carey Stevens, Mr and Mrs Richard Stevens and family, and Mr and Mrs Albert Johnson and two children, Bailey's Island.

Frederick Stanley was in Lewiston Tuesday for dental surgery.

Mr and Mrs John Kennagh will entertain Thursday. Mr and Mrs Tommy Kennagh, James and Daisy, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Kennagh, and family of South Paris, and Mr and Mrs Gussie Kennagh, Brenda, Johnny and Betty, of Hebron.

The Kennaghs spent Sunday at Hebron with their son, Gussie, and family.

SUNDAY RIVER

— Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. —

Mr and Mrs R M Bean were in Framingham, Mass., over the week end. Leon Stillford is visiting the R M Beans.

Edward MacDonald visited the Robert F Bean's at Bethel Sunday.

Floyd Staples of York, Maine, visited David Fleet Saturday.

David Fleet was a lucky hunter this past week by bagging a big buck.

Mr and Mrs Leslie Kendall are to spend the holiday in Boston.

Richard Onofrio called on David Fleet Sunday.

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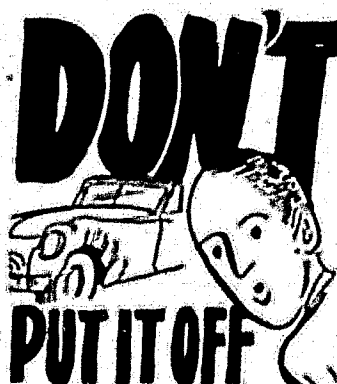
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There was a two day snow storm. Damage approached that of the hurricane. Power and telephone lines were out. The town of Upton was snowbound for three days.

Deaths: Mrs. Della Turcotte.

25 YEARS AGO

Mrs. Eva Fox went to Rumford to take up her duties as House Mother in the Nurses' Home at the Community Hospital.

Work was begun on the Houghton-Crookston road. One hundred twenty-seven men were apportioned for this work for 11 weeks.

Deaths: Mrs. Ardella Merrill, Mrs. Dana Coveil.

35 YEARS AGO

Deer were reported scarce by local hunters.

A moose was seen frequently in the vicinity of the village.

The water supply was low in many farming areas.

GOULD ACADEMY

At the final assembly before Thanksgiving, the Gould Academy Athletic Council awarded letters to the following people.

Football letters: Carroll Melville, captain; Hugh Awaik, manager; Herbert Adams, Alvin Barth, Phil Corey, Van Gale, Clark Leighton, Carman Pettapiece, Pete St. Lawrence, Roland Blood, Edward Burnham, Richard Budge, Verne Corkum, William Daley, Wendell Bragg, Phillip Rowe, Lawrence Spinney, Howard Brush, Norman Hill, Carl Merrill, Joel Stevens, Joseph Watson, James Murphy.

Carroll Melville was awarded a variety sweater for participation in variety sports as follows: Football, 1951; Baseball, 1952; Football, 1952; Basketball, 1953; Baseball, 1953; Football, 1953; Captain of Football, 1953.

Cross Country Letters awarded: Robert Lingham, captain; Harry Taylor, William Coolidge, William Hoag, Robert Edney, Frank Benson, Manager David Lord.

PAPER COMPANY JOINS IN EXPERIMENT STATION STUDY

The S D Warren Company has extended full cooperation on one of its two logging operations to aid in a forestry research study being made by the Experiment Station at the University of Maine. It has been announced by Dr. Harold E. Young, a member of the Forestry Department faculty.

Dr. Young, who will make the study, praised the action of the company as an example of the industrial cooperation that has meant so much to the University in its work with Maine agriculture and industry.

The study is being made to develop hardwood volume tables for use by the forestry industry in computing the amount of hardwood on a tract of land.

The logging area made available by the company in the cooperative study is the highly-mechanized operation at Bingham. The company also has a logging operation at Gray, but Young said that this tract is not included in the study.

The S D Warren Company will collect the field data and the forestry department of the Experiment Station will analyze the data and construct the volume tables. Work on the study will begin immediately, Young said.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends and relatives for the many cards and gifts sent to me while I was in the hospital, also for the remembrances received on my 52nd birthday.

Grace H. Hawn

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends and neighbors for the cards, letters and flowers they sent me during my stay in the hospital.

Mrs. Abster Laws

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation and thanks to the relatives and friends who did so much to assist our daughters in making our 25th anniversary such a pleasant occasion.

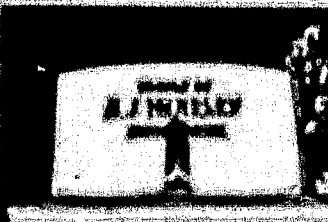
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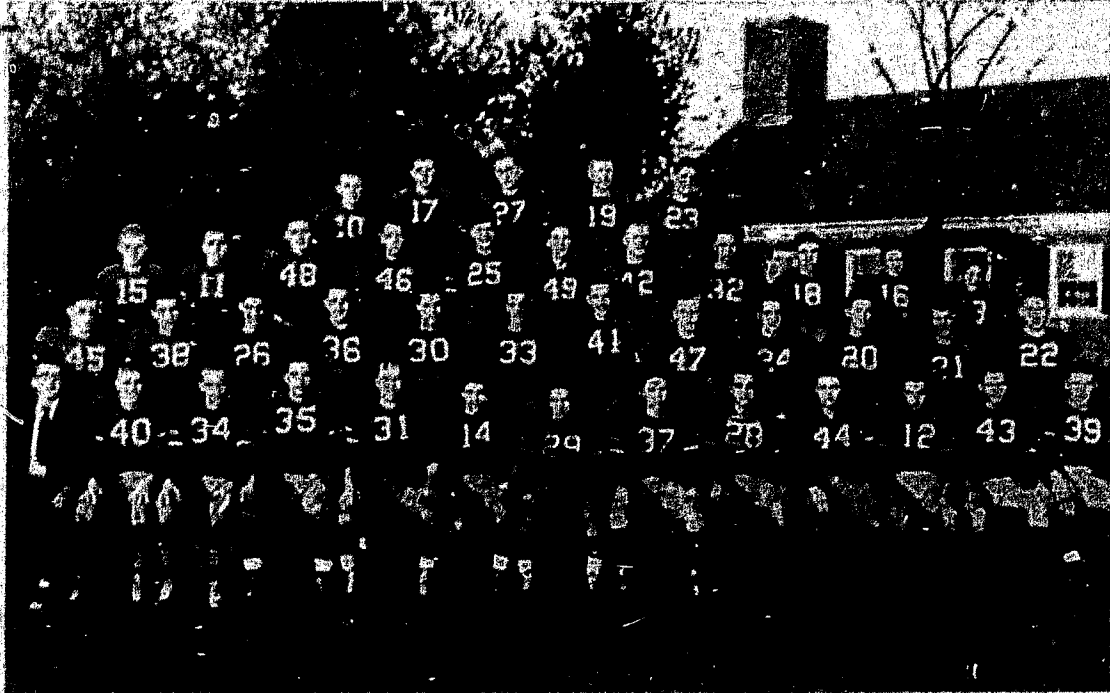
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LOCAL GUERNSEY HERD WINS PRODUCTION AND CHAMPION AWARDS AT ANNUAL MEETING

Election of officers and the awarding of showing and production certificates featured the 1953 annual meeting of the Maine Guernsey Breeders Association held recently at the Worster House in Hallowell.

Marshall Merry of Sherman Mills was elected president of the organization. The newly-elected vice-president is Horace Bent of Blue Hill, and re-elected secretary-treasurer was Malcolm Roberts of Alfred.

Members elected to the 1954 Board of Directors included: C. H. Holman, Dixfield; Hugh Briggs, Turner; J. H. Comins, Eddington; Allen Marlon, Lincolnville; H. H. Barkwell, Madison; Horace Milroy, Bowdoinham; George Larrabee, Bath; Herman Porter, Houlton; Austin Frost, Perry; John Malaner, Dover-Foxcroft; Russell Fowler, Augusta; Damon Hoar, Farmington; John Corning, Kennebunkport; and Dr. Edward Sadier, Ellsworth.

A feature of the annual meeting was the awarding of State Champion Guernsey Certificates to the owners of the Guernsey animals which were class winners at this year's State Guernsey Show. Certificates went to Kenneth B. Kief, Salsbury Cove; John H. Kief, Salsbury Cove; H. C. Briggs and Son, Turner; Marilyn C. Kief, Salsbury Cove.

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Others who received production certificates included: Doane G. Smith, Dixmont; Hugo F. Sandelin, Brunswick; John B. Corning, Kennebunkport; H. H. Barkwell, Madison; and Paul C. Thurston, Bethel. Featured speakers for the meeting were Floyd Greenburg and Joseph Pendergast, field representatives of The American Guernsey Cattle Club, and Paul Browne, manager of the Maine Breeding Cooperative.

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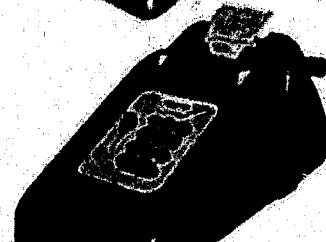
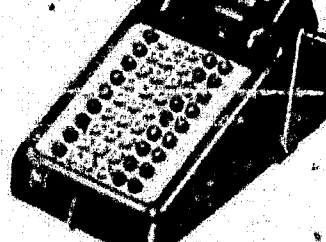
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2. Remember, can't be as time-limited when there is around. Electric can be as effective in decoration as safer.

3. When buying of any type, always UL label. It means it passed Underwriters' tests for fire and safety. As an added sure, supervise play safe electrical toys.

4. Some types of toys involving fire, should not be the children. Other chemical sets, should with great care, and them should be supervised.

5. Never leave home alone!

Last year, nearly 1,000 under 6 years old were killed by fire, according to the National Fire Protection Association. Deaths 5-14 age group brought up to 1,700. In this season, keep the children safe.

OXFORD COUNTY CO MEET HERE TUESDAY

Mundt-Allen Post will entertain the Oxford County Council. The meeting will be held at the Legion Home, evening, Dec. 8. A supper will be served. Towle, Dept. Pres., and Austin, 2nd District Vice, will be guests.

WINS HOUSE SEAT

R. Lipscomb, 33, candidate in California district congressional seat Democrat George 43,000 to 35,000.

The Week

Hayward B. Carley, head, Mass., will succeed Stevens, resigned, as to go to Norway. He has played as a civil engineer Massachusetts Department of Works.

Justice Albert Belliveau and costs of \$579 in Municipal Court Monday charge was speeding a per hour in a 40-mile zone in Woodstock, State Kenneth Wing of Bethel complainant.

Donald Carl Agostinelli, a graduate of Bowdoin College has received the A. H. Hildreth Cup from James B. Cole, Mr. Agostinelli.